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SUBJECT: REPORTING INTERNATIONAL TRANSFERS OF NUCLEAR  
MATERIAL

REFERENCE: A. IAEA VIENNA 9152 B. STATE 185392

1. MISSION, ON AD REFERENDUM BASIS, HAS GIVEN BRITISH  
AND SOVIET RESREPS FOLLOWING DRAFT OF PROPOSED LETTER  
THREE MISSIONS WOULD SEND TO IAEA DIRECTOR GENERAL:

"I AM PLEASED TO INFORM YOU THAT MY GOVERNMENT, IN  
THE INTEREST OF ASSISTING THE IAEA IN ITS SAFEGUARDS ACTIVITIES,  
HAS DECIDED TO PROVIDE THE AGENCY ON A CONTINUING BASIS WITH  
FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

"(1) WITH RESPECT TO EACH EXPORT, IN AN AMOUNT EXCEEDING ONE  
EFFECTIVE KILOGRAM, OF NUCLEAR MATERIAL FOR PEACEFUL PURPOSES  
TO ANY NON-NUCLEAR WEAPON STATE:

(A) THE ORGANIZATION OF COMPANY AT WHICH THE NUCLEAR MATERIAL  
IS PREPARED FOR EXPORT;

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(B) THE DESCRIPTION, COMPOSITION AND QUANTITY OF NUCLEAR MATERIAL IN THE SHIPMENT;

(C) THE STATE AND ORGANIZATION OR COMPANY TO WHICH THE NUCLEAR MATERIAL IS TO BE EXPORTED AND, WHERE APPLICABLE (I.E., IN THOSE CASES IN WHICH NUCLEAR MATERIAL IS PROCESSED FURTHER IN A SECOND STATE BEFORE RETRANSFER TO A THIRD STATE) THE STATE AND ORGANIZATION OR COMPANY OF ULTIMATE DESTINATION.

"(2) WITH RESPECT TO EACH IMPORT BEGIN BRACKET FOR PEACEFUL PURPOSES END BRACKET, IN AN AMOUNT GREATER THAN ONE EFFECTIVE KILOGRAM, OF NUCLEAR MATERIAL WHICH HAS BEEN SUBJECT TO SAFEGUARDS UNDER AN AGREEMENT WITH THE IAEA, IN THE STATE FROM WHICH THE MATERIAL IS IMPORTED:

(A) THE STATE AND ORGANIZATION OR COMPANY FROM WHICH THE NUCLEAR MATERIAL IS RECEIVED;

(B) THE DESCRIPTION, COMPOSITION AND QUANTITY OF NUCLEAR MATERIAL IN THE SHIPMENT;

BEGIN BRACKET (C) THE ORGANIZATION OR COMPANY IMPORTING THE NUCLEAR MATERIAL. END BRACKET.

"THE INFORMATION DESCRIBED ABOVE WILL BE PROVIDED NORMALLY AT LEAST TEN DAYS PRIOR TO THE DATE ON WHICH THE RESPECTIVE MATERIAL IS EXPORTED FROM OR IMPORTED INTO MY COUNTRY.

"IT IS INTENDED THAT MY GOVERNMENT WILL INITIATE THE PROVISION OF THE INFORMATION DESCRIBED ABOVE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND NOT LATER THAN (BLANK DATE - DEPARTMENT PLEASE ADVISE PREFERRED DATE). WE WILL BE HAPPY TO DISCUSS THE DETAILS OF THESE ARRANGEMENTS WITH YOU OR YOUR STAFF WHENEVER CONVENIENT.

"MY GOVERNMENT WOULD APPRECIATE THIS INFORMATION BEING BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF ALL MEMBERS OF THE AGENCY BY MEANS OF AN INFCIRC DOCUMENT."

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2. BRACKETED WORDS IN PARA (2) OF LETTER INSERTED AT REQUEST OF UK REP, TO COVER POSSIBILITY THAT NUCLEAR MATERIAL WHICH HAD BEEN UNDER IAEA SAFEGUARDS MIGHT BE IMPORTED INTO UK FOR MILITARY PURPOSES. HOWEVER, HE THOUGHT FIRST BRACKETED PHRASE COULD BE DROPPED IF 2(C) PROVISION FOR NAMING ORGANIZATION RECEIVING MATERIAL WERE ALSO DROPPED. WE TOLD HIM WE THOUGHT THAT WAS PREFERABLE ALTERNATIVE.

3. APART FROM FOREGOING, BRITISH HAD NO OTHER COMMENTS ON DRAFT AND SOVIETS HAD NONE. THREE MISSIONS AGREED FORWARD IT TO CAPITALS FOR INSTRUCTIONS.

4. AT TIME WE GIVE SOVIETS WASHINGTON COMMENTS ON DRAFT, WE PLAN RAISE QUESTION OF SEALS AND SAMPLING. AFTER AGREEMENT REACHED BETWEEN THREE POWERS ON DRAFT, WE WILL DISCUSS WITH OUR COUNTERPARTS DESIRABILITY OF APPROACH TO FRENCH.TAPE

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